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REMARKS

Claims 1 - 4, 7, 13, 16, 19, 22, 25, 28, 31, 34, 37, 42, 44, 52, 56, 60 and 61 remain pending in this application. No new matter has been added.

Applicant wishes to thank the examiner for indicating allowable subject matter of claims 4 - 51, 55, 59 and 61.

In response to the objections, claims 60 and 61 have been amended. As the result, the objections are moot, and withdrawal thereof is respectfully requested.

According to the Office Action, claims 1-3, 52-54, 56-58 and 60 are rejected under 35 USC 102(e) as being anticipated by US Patent 7,496,081 (Salokannel).

To expedite the prosecution of the application and without conceding any statements or waiving any arguments in the Office Action, Applicant's claims are amended as follows:

Claim 1 is amended to incorporate allowable subject matter of claims 5, 6 and 7 thereby making claim 1 and dependent claims therefrom allowable.

Similarly, claim 60 is amended to incorporate allowable subject matter, thereby making claim 60 and dependent claim 61 allowable.

Claims 5, 6, 8 - 12, 14, 15, 17, 18, 20, 21, 23, 24, 26, 27, 29, 30, 32, 33, 35, 36, 38 - 41, 43, 45 - 51, 53 - 55 and 57 - 59 are canceled without prejudice.

An earnest effort has been made to be fully responsive to the examiner's correspondence and advance the prosecution of this case. In view of the above amendments and remarks, it is believed that the present application is in condition for allowance, and an early notice thereof is earnestly solicited.

Please charge any additional fees associated with this application to Deposit Account No. 14-1270.

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